



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 2123**

PATENT

Customer No. 58,982
Attorney Docket No. 08350.0243-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Mohammed A. KHAN)
Application No.: 10/024,359) Group Art Unit: 2123
Filed: December 21, 2001)
For: SYMBOLIC EVALUATION) Examiner: Sharon, Ayal I.
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PERFORMANCE SIMULATIONS) Confirmation No.: 6525

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed June, 16, 2006, the period for response to which having been extended to October 16, 2006 by a request for extension of time of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper and begin on page 26.